

Gies A. C.

[Pittsburgh, PA], 1924-1929

June 25th, 1934

Mr. A. C. Gies

Western Pennsylvania Numismatic Society
6260 Frankstown Avenue, Pittsburgh, Pa.

Dear Mr. Gies:

Under separate cover, I am sending you for the Library of the Western Pennsylvania Numismatic Society, a copy of the Catalogue of the Exhibition of United States and Colonial coins, held in our Museum in 1914. It is illustrated with 39 half-tone plates, depicting many of the Colonial issues as well as patterns and coins from 1794 onward.

You will note that this Exhibition lasted only a month, and as the delivery was delayed it never received the attention it deserves, and did not reach those interested in this series unless they attended the Exhibition itself. Many of the pieces are historically important, and the price of One Dollar, for which the book sells, does not cover the cost of its preparation. May I ask you to read this letter to the members of your Society, and ascertain whether any of them desire copies?

I am also enclosing a list of other publications of The American Numismatic Society, in the hope that some of these books may be of interest to your members. Will you please post this where your members will see it?

Will you also inform me whether the Western Pennsylvania Numismatic Society has a complete set of the American Journal in its library? If not, we are prepared to offer to complete your file at half-price, or, provided that you do not require certain scarce numbers of Vols. I to VI, will go even further, and, as long as our full files hold out, will complete your set at a maximum cost to you of Fifty Dollars.

These offers are made at this time in order to obtain funds for our library. The proceeds of these publications have been set aside for this purpose by our Council. Your co-operation will thus serve a double purpose, and I shall greatly appreciate anything you may be able to do in our library's behalf.

Very truly yours,

Librarian and Secretary

Aug. 28, 1924.

Mr. A. C. Gies,

6260 Frankstown Ave.,

Pittsburgh, Penna.

Dear Sir:-

At the request of our President, Mr. Newell, I take pleasure in enclosing herewith a card of application for membership in the American Numismatic Society.

Very truly yours,

Secretary.

A. C. GIES
JEWELER AND OPTICIAN
DIAMONDS

6260 FRANKSTOWN AVENUE
PITTSBURGH, PA.

February 2, 1929.

Sydney P. Noe, Secretary,
American Numismatic Society,
Broadway at 156th Street,
New York, New York.

Dear Mr. Noe,

Enclosed is a Bronze Fiftieth Anniversary Medal of the
Western Pennsylvania Numismatic Society, which you may
put in the American Numismatic Society Collection, with
compliments of the Western Pennsylvania Numismatic
Society.

Yours truly,

A. C. Gies

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Secretary W. P. N. S.

4th February, 1929

Mr. A. C. Gies,
Secretary, W.P.N.S.,
Pittsburg, Pa.

Dear Mr. Gies:

Thank you very much indeed for your letter of February 2d accompanying the bronze medal to commemorate the fiftieth anniversary of the Western Pennsylvania Numismatic Society. Please accept my congratulations. I think the result is very attractive and we are very glad to have it for our collection. Will you convey the thanks of our Society to your Society at its next meeting.

Very truly yours,

Secretary